

Specification Status

Page 4, line 12, rewrite the paragraph as follows:

Figure 7 is a fragmentary cross sectional view of the tail section of the probe cover taken along line 7-7 of Figure 1 ~~2~~;

Page 7, line 19, rewrite the paragraph as follows:

Referring to Figure 4, thereafter the inner end of the rear section 74 adjacent the band 48 is telescoped over the band and therebeyond to establish a folded frontal rim 76. Next, the front section is inverted and telescoped of the rim 76 and over the remainder of the rear section, terminating at a location proximate the final tail section location. As a result of the above folding, the nominal diameter of the tube in the area of the rim is reduced. Next, the rim ~~lip~~ 76 is manually or mechanically enlarged to selected diameter. A circumferential chain stitch 80 is applied at the rear of the rim 76 thereby capturing the band in the pocket and establishing the flexible web.

Page 8, line 3, rewrite the paragraph as follows:

Thereafter, as shown in Figure 5, the end portion of the rear section 74 ~~72~~ is inverted and telescoped over the front section 72 ~~74~~. The end is reversely folded to establish a frontal hem 82 overlying the rim 76. The free ends of the loops 45, 47 are positioned between the hem 82 and the rim ~~70~~ ~~hem~~ and a circumferential stitch 88 is established to secure the loops in place and the hem to the rim. Thereafter, as shown in Figure 7, the tail section 42 is pressed flat, the ends of removal loop 43 inserted between the folds and transverse stitches 90 applied to finalize the assembly and closed the end of the tube.